IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

<u>Listing of Claims</u>

- 1-6. (Canceled).
- 7. (New) A mobile station apparatus comprising:
- a decoder that decodes sub-frames of a downlink data channel;
- a detector that performs error detection on one decoded subframe; and
- a transmitter that transmits a response signal in accordance with the error detection result for the one decoded sub-frame, wherein:

when the transmitter will transmit the response signal multiple times, the decoder does not decode a sub-frame following the one decoded sub-frame.

8. (New) The mobile station apparatus of claim 7, wherein when the transmitter will transmit the response signal N times, the decoder does not decode N-1 sub-frames following the one decoded sub-frame.

- 9. (New) The mobile station apparatus of claim 7, wherein the downlink data channel comprises a High Speed Physical Downlink Shared Channel (HS-PDSCH).
- 10. (New) The mobile station apparatus of claim 7, wherein the transmitter transmits the response signal through a High Speed Dedicated Physical Control Channel for a High Speed Downlink Shared Channel (HS-DPCCH).
- 11. (New) The mobile station apparatus of claim 7, wherein the transmitter transmits one of an ACK signal and a NACK signal as the response signal.
- 12. (New) A radio communication method comprising:

 decoding sub-frames of a downlink data channel;

 performing error detection on one decoded sub-frame; and

 transmitting a response signal in accordance with the error

 detection result for the one decoded sub-frame, wherein:

when the response signal will be transmitted multiple times, the sub-frame following the one decoded sub-frame is not decoded.

- 13. (New) The radio communication method of claim 12, wherein, when the response signal will be transmitted N times, N-1 sub-frames following the one decoded sub-frame are not decoded.
- 14. (New) The radio communication method of claim 12, wherein the downlink data channel comprises a High Speed Physical Downlink Shared Channel (HS-PDSCH).
- 15. (New) The radio communication method of claim 12, wherein the response signal is transmitted through a High Speed Dedicated Physical Control Channel for a High Speed Downlink Shared Channel (HS-DPCCH).
- 16. (New) The radio communication method of claim 12, wherein one of an ACK signal and a NACK signal is transmitted as the response signal.